

PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q75484

Rakesh TULI, et al.

Application No.: 10/661,478

Group Art Unit: 1636

Confirmation No.: 9837

Examiner: Joike, M.

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For: **CHEMICALLY SYNTHESIZED ARTIFICIAL PROMOTER FOR HIGH LEVEL
EXPRESSION OF TRANSGENES AND A METHOD FOR ITS SYNTHESIS**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of December 20, 2006 to June 20, 2006.

The statutory fee of \$1,020.00 is being charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880 via EFS Payment Screen. The USPTO is also directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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